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[La Grange, TX]

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Messrs Chapman & Bro.

Philadelphia Pa.

Dear Sirs

In one of my Coin Manuals I have noticed among other firms your firms name & take the liberty to address you for the purpose to obtain better information regarding the value of foreign Coins than I get from the different little books which I have, or from H. von Bergen & the Numismatic Bank of Boston, Mass, who have proven to be over the same concern & only scheming to sell their pamphlets, making statments of Coin values which they do not further consider until they have received one dollar for their Manual & then they are off, to say the least. Very untrustworthy —

I have a few coins in my collection which I desire to sell, as following

1 or 2 Pesos. Maximilians Emperador. Mexico
1866 P.I. & 1866 M

1. Current Gold. Hamburger (37. Schill)

Franciscus D.G. Rom. IMP. SEMP. AVGVSTVS. 1762.
I obtained this in high Exchange of other coins from
my then large & fine collection from a Relative & collec-
tor who stated (in Hamburg Germany) that only 30
pieces were struck at the Mint when the inva-
ding army entered & Bullion & dies were thrown
into the large Canal at the Mint. Also 16 SHIL. of
1796. - 1831. can be had.
1. Carolus IIII. DEI Gratia 1797.
HISPAN. ET IND. REX. M.S.R. F.M.
Gold Empereur III Napoleon « BARRE »
Empire Francais. 5 Franks. 1866 (18.)
1/2 Dollar Cal Indian Head. Cal. 13 Stars
1875 - 1876.
Ein Vereins Thaler XXX Ein Hundtein 1863.
Wilhelm Koenig v. Würtemberg. 1+ Kronen Thaler 1818)
crowned edge Münz Vertrag vom 24 Januar 1857
(claimed to be very valuable by H. von Bergen & his Numis-
matic Bank)
1 Hispania et Indias 8R RC 1821.
One & Two Thalers Prussian from 1839 & 1840. 1861 & 1866.
1. Danmark Species Christian VIII Konge af Danmark
DOD DEN 20 JANUAR 1848. + FREDERIK VII 1848 FOLKETS
MINDESTYKKE. —

Carl XV SVERIGES. NORR. GÖTH. OCH. VEND. KONUNG
4 RD. RIKS. M. 1863.
Ein Thaler. Segen des Anhalt Bergbaues 1862
8 S. R. 1846. Republica Bolivia.
8 R. Cuzco. 1838 Reput. Sud Peruana.
Hanover, 1843. 1866. Bavaria. Saxony Thalers
of early dates & 1863.
Guilders of Germany & Austria
Small Silver pieces /. as Francs. Centimes
pence Shillings Kreutzers Grote Pfennige
Groschens Marks, Likes, Reals Pesetas 1/4 & 1/2
1/4 & 1/2 Dollars Reis Piastres & Medios &c
Victoria & Queen Anne Crowns 1/2 Crown
Victoria Florin 1849 &c Pence to 6. Pence
Mostley of old dates. Too Numerous to mention.

I have two large elegantly executed Coin chart Mounts with exact Sizes & true reproduction of every piece of Money of the civilized Nations as far back as the 13th century. One Giving American & the other

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English & German Comercial Values
only. But not the Values paid for same
by Antiquarians & Collectors.
I know from former experience in regard
to my own collections up to 45 years past
especially with some Gold pieces. that demand
creates Value
The most of my coins are in good conditions
& if you can give me any particulars as to Values
I will send such as you may desire by
Express to you for further examination
& approval.
I have many coins double. As I have sold
nearly all my Gold coins from $ 50.— to
$ 3. I intend to sell my silver & Copper also.
If I know what you want I may be able to furnish
you with some out of my own & friends
Collections. some of them have small silver &
copper coins.
Hoping to hear from you at your earliest
convenience I Remain Your Very Respectfully
Ed Richers

P.O. Box 182.

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Inquiry

Ans. 10/29/03

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after 10 days return
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